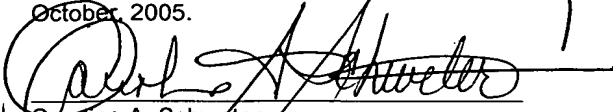


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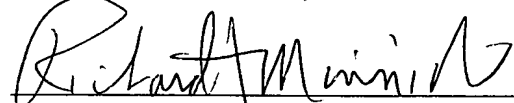
Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Notification of Missing Requirements (copy attached hereto) mailed August 19, 2005, Applicants submit an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The \$130.00 fee in payment of the surcharge required under 37 CFR 1.16(e) for filing the Declaration later than the filing date of the application is authorized to be charged to a credit card. The appropriate form PTO-2038 is enclosed for this purpose. If the credit card is unable to be charged, please charge any and all fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

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- Copy of the International Application filed on 02/25/2005
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- Preliminary Amendments filed on 02/25/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 02/25/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 02/25/2005
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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(f) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

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ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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